### CITY OF NEWPORT RESOLUTION NO. 3688

# ESTABLISHING FEES FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA FACILITIES ENDORSEMENT APPLICATIONS IN THE CITY OF NEWPORT

#### Findings:

- During the 2013 Regular Legislative Session, the Oregon Legislature passed HB 3460 which allows for the establishment and registration of medical marijuana facilities; and
- 2. HB 3460 became effective on March 1, 2014, and the Oregon Health Authority began accepting applications for registration of medical marijuana facilities on March 3, 2014; and
- 3. SB 1531 allows cities to impose moratoria on the operation of medical marijuana facilities within the jurisdiction of the city until May 1, 2015; and
- 4. On April 7, 2014, the Newport City Council adopted Ordinance No. 2063 declaring a moratorium on the operation of medical marijuana facilities in the City of Newport; and
- 5. The City Council requested that the Planning Commission and Business License Ordinance Work Group conduct public meetings to determine how the regulatory options outlined in SB 1531 should be exercised, and recommendations from each of these groups have informed the development of Ordinance No. 2069 which amends the Newport Municipal Code to include Chapter 4.20 related to medical marijuana facilities.
- 6. Ordinance No. 2069 requires medical marijuana facilities to obtain a Medical Marijuana Facility Endorsement to its business license;
- 7. The Medical Marijuana Facility Endorsement to a business license requires background checks of employees of medical marijuana facilities, and the payment of a surcharge established by resolution of the City Council.

#### THE CITY OF NEWPORT RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. The application fee for a Medical Marijuana Facility Endorsement is \$25.00.
- Section 2. The fee for background checks of employees of medical marijuana facilities is \$25.00 for each employee.
- Section 3. This resolution becomes effective on the effective date of Ordinance No. 2069, which is August 20, 2014.

## Adopted by the Newport City Council on July 21, 2014.

Sandra N. Roumagoux, Mayor

ATTEST:

Margaret M. Hawker, City Redorder